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In re Application of

Allen et al.

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For: DYNAMIC GENERATION OF
LINEARIZED HALFTONE MATRIX

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DECISION ON REQUEST TO
WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY

This is a decision on the request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record filed on March 26, 2003.

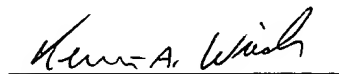
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- (1) indicate the present mailing address of the attorney(s)/agent(s) who seek(s) to withdraw, and
- (2) be signed by each attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or clearly be signed on their behalf, and
- (3) be *approved* at least thirty (30) days prior to the maximum extendable period for response to any outstanding Office Action, and
- (4) indicate the address to which future correspondence should be mailed.

Petitioner has not met items (2) and (4) above. The undersigned, John W. Ryan, is not of record. Furthermore, the Patent Office does not recognize withdrawal of a firm.

Accordingly, the request is **DENIED**.

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